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PERSONAL PATIENT WHO DISLIKED HIS DOCTOR'S TROUSERS AND MOUSTACHE.



The doctor arriving at court.



The moustache which Mr. Gretor said was "ridiculous"—



—and the offending trousers.

Criticisms on a medical man's toilette were made in letters read in Mr. Justice Lush's court yesterday, when Dr. Vivian Francis Wall, of Piccadilly, sued Mr. Willie Gretor for £141 19s. fees. The defendant, counsel said, was a wealthy man who was, unfor-

tunately, a victim of morphia. In one letter he wrote, "You do look ridiculous with your moustache, and you do not fold your trousers in the evening in such a way as to make them look neat in the morning"—(*Daily Mirror* photographs.)

MR. ASQUITH'S TRIUMPHAL PROGRESS: CHEERS ALL THE WAY FROM LONDON TO FIFE.



Outside King's Cross Station there was a big crowd, who gave him a great send-off.

With "Rule Britannia" ringing in his ears, Mr. Asquith left London yesterday for East Fife, where there is very little likelihood of his having to contest his seat. On the platform at King's Cross there was a big gathering of Ministers and M.P.s awaiting him, and when he made his appearance, accompanied by Mrs. Asquith and Miss



The arrival at King's Cross.

Asquith, the excited throng surged round their chief to shake him by the hand and to wish him the best of luck. They afterwards sang "Rule Britannia" and "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." At each of the stopping places there were similar scenes of enthusiasm, the Premier making a short speech from the carriage door.



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FIFE'S GREETING TO PREMIER.

Cheers and Slaps on Back for Mr. Asquith at Station.

WOMAN'S JUMP.

Suffragette Tries to Board Train—Police Escort Motor.

"I really do not know what is going to happen to me in Fife."

With a twinkle in his eyes, Mr. Asquith made this little confession last night on his arrival in Scotland, where he is seeking re-election as member for East Fife on assuming the office of War Minister.

The Premier was in jovial mood. All the way from King's Cross to Edinburgh cheers, addresses of welcome, bouquets and gifts from Liberals had, wherever the express stopped, greeted Mr. Asquith.

Strong police protection, owing to the presence of suffragettes, was provided for Mr. Asquith on his arrival last night at Cupar.

On the station platform was a squad of thirty police, and a special party motored to Kilmaron Castle, to stay with Sir James Low, a police escort travelled with the car.

There was one suffragette incident.

A suffragette attempted to board Mr. Asquith's train as it was leaving Newcastle. She was seized by two constables, and all three fell together in a heap on the platform.

The woman, who gave the name of Elizabeth Fry, was partly stunned by the fall, but soon recovered and was released.

Spirits of enthusiasm unparalleled since the days when Mr. Gladstone went on political missions to Mid-Lothian marked the Premier's ten-hours' journey to Scotland.

Selkirk had such scenes of wild enthusiasm occurred at King's Cross, where the Prime Minister joined the express to Scotland.

The platform was crowded with members of Parliament and prominent Liberals, while a huge crowd of people stood outside the station to give him a hearty send-off.

At York Mrs. Asquith and Miss Asquith were presented with bouquets and chocolates. The novel gift of a box of gingerbreads was presented to the Premier at Grantham, and at Edinburgh a huge bouquet was presented to Mrs. Asquith by the wife of Mr. J. Falconer, M.P., for Forfarshire.

Mr. Asquith will deliver his first speech to-day at Ladybank.

CROWD SLAPS PREMIER'S BACK.

There was a huge crowd of City-bound workers, who, pouring into King's Cross by local trains, stopped to cheer the Premier.

Mr. Asquith arrived in his motor-car just before ten o'clock. At once the crowd outside the station surged round, waving hats and cheering wildly.

Mr. Asquith, looking very well and cheerful, smiled with evident pleasure. He was accompanied by Mrs. Asquith, Miss Asquith, Master Antony Asquith, the Hon. E. S. Montagu and Mr. Illingworth, the Chief Liberal Whip.

To reach his compartment Mr. Asquith had to pass over a crowd of cheering workers, and those who were near enough stopped and slapped him on the back and shook him by the hand.

During the interval of waiting Mr. and Mrs. Asquith stood at the carriage door while the crowd cheered and sang "For he's a jolly good fellow" and "Rule, Britannia!"

It was amid a great chorus of "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," in which Mr. Churchill and Mr. McKenna, and others of the Government joined, that the Premier's train moved out of the station.

In the train were several suffragettes. To prevent any demonstration the police at Grantham took the precaution of guarding the Premier's saloon during the short stop there.

At the Waverley Station, Edinburgh, there was a longer stay and 250 members of the Scottish Liberal Association greeted Mr. Asquith upon a reserved portion of the platform. Replying to an address, Mr. Asquith said:—

I have been somewhat diverted as I came along by reading what my friends who are in political opposition to me are going to do. I gather that after some hesitation, they are to have a general strike, probably, at any rate, come to the conclusion that I am to have a conditional walk-over—conditional, that is, upon my being more considerate in my behaviour during the next two or three days. (Laughter.)

Guilemen, this is very alarming, and I can only say that it is the fact that they are going to do what they are going to do or not going to do will have any effect whatever upon what I say or upon what I do, then it is high time that they disbursed themselves of that impression. (Cheers.)

SIR A. PAGE'S WARNING.

"Moving troops would possibly precipitate a crisis," was a point made in General Sir Arthur Page's reply to the letter of the Army Council, dated March 14 last.

It was printed yesterday in the parliamentary papers, and was called for by Lord Charles Beresford, in a despatch put out at Belfast, in order to evacuate the recruits at these places. But in the present state of the country I am of opinion that any such move of troops would cause much excitement in Ulster, and possibly precipitate a crisis.

The letter adds:—

It would be preferable, from the point of view of safety, only to provide guards at once for Armagh and Omagh, and to have a sufficient number of troops to escort the recruits at these places. But in the present state of the country I am of opinion that any such move of troops would cause much excitement in Ulster, and possibly precipitate a crisis.

For these reasons I do not consider myself justified in moving troops at the present time.

GINGERBREADS FOR THE PREMIER.



Mr. Asquith addressing the deputation of Liberals who presented him with an address and a box of Grantham gingerbreads. Mrs. Asquith and Miss Asquith are looking out of the carriage window.

THE COAL STRIKE IN YORKSHIRE.



A family searching for coal in a refuse heap near a colliery at Rotherham. The colliers are on strike, and a good deal of distress already prevails in the district. About 150,000 are affected by the stoppage in the county.

TO HEAR OURSELVES AS OTHERS HEAR US.



Few singers know what their voices sound like to the audience. Perhaps some of them would retire from the platform if they did. This is the "Critiphone," which enables the performer to realise what his singing sounds like to the listeners.

DISLIKED DOCTOR'S MOUSTACHE.

Strange Criticisms by Wealthy Patient Sued for Fees.

DISPLEASING TROUSERS.

You really do look ridiculous with your moustache and you do not fold your trousers in the evening in such a way as to make them look neat in the morning.

This quaint criticism of a doctor written in a letter to him by his patient was read in a remarkable action before Mr. Justice Lush yesterday.

The plaintiff was Dr. Vivian Francis Wall, of Piccadilly and South Eaton-place, W. He sued for £141, fees alleged to be due by Mr. Willie Gretor, of St. James's-place, Piccadilly.

Mr. Gretor was said to be a man earning £15,000 a year and to be a victim of the drug habit. His visits to Paris and Harrogate with Dr. Wall were narrated in evidence and the method of curing drug maniacs was discussed.

In order that Mr. Gretor, who is seriously ill in Paris, might be able to attend, the case was adjourned till April 23 on the condition that he paid £40 into court and the costs.

'RIDICULOUS WITH YOUR MOUSTACHE.'

Mr. Ralph Bankes, K.C., opening the case for Dr. Wall, said that Mr. Gretor was a gentleman who lived in considerable style in the West End.

He was a victim of the morphine habit, and was a tiresome patient. Occasionally Dr. Wall had to attend him in the middle of the night.

The plaintiff was in a rupture between Dr. Wall and Mr. Gretor. It took place because Mr. Gretor made offensive remarks about Dr. Wall's moustache and trousers.

Counsel read a letter that Dr. Wall wrote on the subject:—

Dear Mr. Gretor.—I left your rooms this morning apparently calm, but inwardly angry with you. You are a tiresome patient, and I am in歧論 in discussing my moustache at all; secondly, in giving me the bill direct. As a general rule, I do not charge my patients for my services; and, thirdly, in giving me the bill direct. I do not intend to do so. I have previously overlooked such unnecessary attacks from you on my appearance in the presence of persons in a lower social position, your objection to the trousers in which I wear my moustache.

Not one of my patients has ever discussed me in the morning in a way you have, let alone before menials. Consequently, I advise you to call in another doctor.

"EQUAL TO A KING."

Mr. Gretor wrote in reply:—

We are in a state of war. Allow me to tell you that you have never met people at my table inferior to you or to me.

I must positively object to the ridiculous distinctions of caste and class. I do not believe each honest man is equal to a king, barring his pay.

But all this does not alter the fact that you really do look ridiculous with your moustache, that you do not fold your trousers in the evening in such a way as to make them look neat in the morning.

In another letter Mr. Gretor said:—

Now, if you think to be chased about your trousers and moustache is a sufficiently important reason to keep a man from a place who has a ways and means to support your friend, suit yourself.

But I beg to draw your attention to the paltry reasons which you give in irritant, ridiculous, reasons which would scarcely be approved by your brother doctors.

The Court was informed that the defence to the claim for £141 19s, was that the charges were excessive.

Giving evidence, Dr. Wall, who wears his moustache waxed, said that he had known Mr. Gretor for some time before he became his medical attendant.

Witness told him that his ordinary charge was a guinea, but that he charged more for special attendances of more than thirty or forty minutes. He charged two guineas for night visits.

The witness told counsel that Mr. Gretor, in addition to private means, earned as a rule £15,000 a year. He had just been lucky before the bill was sent in, and had made £18,000 during that year.

"THE MORPHIA HABIT."

Dr. Wall went on to say that persons suffering from the morphia habit have a horror of being alone. They are alternately excited and depressed.

Mr. Schwabe, K.C., cross-examining the doctor, asked him whether he considered that he was medically attending Mr. Gretor when he lunched with him.

The reply was that the lunch was an incident in the visit.

When you and your wife dined with Mr. Gretor at the Carlton Hotel was that charged for?—No.

Counsel pointed out that on the day of the Carlton dinner Dr. Wall charged for attendance from 8 to 11.30, and asked him: Did you go back to his rooms and attend him?—No.

"I can't remember," said Dr. Wall.

The Judge asked what the witness was doing with regard to the drug habit. The doctor replied that he was trying to reduce the amount of the drug.

Counsel pointed out that in one week there were two lunches, a dinner at the Carlton, and an occasion when the doctor's pony was taken. These were reckoned as attendances.

The witness said that he wished to get away from Mr. Gretor's hospitality to do other work. He went to lunch very much against his will.

Counsel: Was not the cooking good? (Laughter.)

Mr. Schwabe asked if the witness considered his attendances on Mr. Gretor necessary.

The Judge: Doctors often attend people quite properly when it is not necessary.

The witness: I told him it was not necessary.

Counsel: Was he continually entertaining you?—No.

A visit to Paris was mentioned. Mr. Gretor took Dr. Wall with him and paid all expenses.

The doctor said that an expenses were being paid he charged ordinary rates, a guinea a day.

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DOCTOR AND CURE OF DRUG VICTIMS.

Witness Explains Method of Dealing with Morphia Maniacs.

FEES FOR MILLIONAIRES.

(Continued from page 3.)

He denied that he received £8 in cash from Mr. Gretor in Paris. He had put his other patients off.

Counsel: I put to you, he did you exceedingly well in Paris?—I was attending him.

The visit to Paris extended from April 29 until May 1. "The best time for Paris," counsel remarked.

There was also a visit to Harrogate. On this occasion a guinea a day was charged, and counsel suggested that Dr. Wall was taken as a guest.

The witness was then asked whether he had received a large number of presents from Mr. Gretor?—"Not a large number—one or two," he replied.

Re-examined, the witness, who had said that there was no cure for the morphia habit, explained that he could alleviate the symptoms.

The Judge at this point remarked that it did not seem likely that a patient who asked his doctor to dinner would expect to be charged.

Dr. E. N. Niall, of Arlington-street, gave evidence to the effect that the charges made by Dr. Wall were reasonable and usual for that part of the West End.

Counsel: Is there any cure for the morphia trouble? You can by moral suasion reduce the amount of the doses, and thus break off the habit.

FEES FOR MILLIONAIRES.

Dr. Wall, recalled, said that Mr. Gretor took morphia every day. He injected it in the witness's presence.

The Judge: Did you succeed in reducing the

Dr. A. S. Woodward, of Queen Anne-street, Cavendish-square, said that the treatment of morphia maniacs was to get to know them thoroughly, and to obtain control of their minds.

To do this it was necessary for the doctor to spend long periods with them.

It was necessary for the patient to have morphia every day, and of this depression that was produced. The doses were gradually reduced, and sometimes another drug was substituted.

Speaking of the fees charged, the witness said that he himself charged hospital patients nothing. The fees for millionaires were correspondingly high.

Counsel: How much does a millionaire pay?—There is no fixed tariff. (Laughter.)

Mr. S. Niall, who had agreed for an adjournment so that Mr. Gretor, who he said, was seriously ill in Paris, might attend to give evidence.

The Judge asked how much Dr. Wall had been paid. He was told £97. The £141 claimed was the balance of the account.

An adjournment until next term was granted on condition that £40 of the claim was paid to Dr. Wall.

"A WICKED JOKE."

SCARBOROUGH, April 3.—Mr. H. Windser, chief constable of Scarborough, yesterday made a statement with regard to Miss Gertrude Margaret Hopper, aged twenty-four, daughter of Mr. W. W. Hopper, a Scarborough tradesman, who on Wednesday told a sensational story of being attacked in a train.

The chief constable said he saw Miss Hopper last night and placed before her the impossibility of certain statements she had made, and she admitted to him that her statements as to the alleged outrage were quite untrue.

The chief constable added: "I told her it must have been a man who had done these three things: either by an irresponsible person, or it was a wicked joke, or an attempted suicide."

In reply Miss Hopper said: "I certainly did not do it with the intention of committing suicide, and I am not a lunatic."

"It must therefore," said the chief constable, "be put down as a wicked joke."

DRAMA OF SHOTS—TWO DEAD.

Stafford was the scene of a terrible shooting tragedy early yesterday morning, when a mother and daughter were shot dead in their bedrooms and an adopted daughter seriously wounded.

It is alleged that the husband, who has been out of employment, shot his wife in one bedroom and proceeded to the next, where the two daughters were in bed and fired at them.

The adopted daughter was able to crawl downstairs on hearing her father leave the house and alarm the neighbours.

She was removed to the infirmary.

The man, who was arrested, had written letters containing directions in the event of his own death.

THE KING'S THREE DAYS IN PARIS

The programme for the visit of the King and Queen to Paris is complete, and the following is the diary of the events:

APRIL 21.

Leave Victoria (South-Eastern and Chatham Railway) Station 8.40 a.m.
Arrive in Paris 3.30 p.m.
Dinner at the Quai d'Orsay, where they will stay during their visit.

Stay at the Elysée.

APRIL 22.

Review of the French Guard at the Elysée.
Dinner at the British Embassy to the President.
Gala performance at the Opera.

APRIL 23.

Rece meeting at Antwerp.
Dinner with the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

The King and Queen return to London on April 24, arriving in the evening.

LAST JEST BEFORE DEATH

Friend's Story of Interview—Open Verdict Returned in Welsh Mystery.

The jury at the inquest at Newtown yesterday on the exhumed body of the farmer, Thomas Roberts, found that death was due to strychnine, but that the evidence was not sufficient to prove how or by whom the poison was administered.

Roberts died suddenly in his garden at Carno on December 1. Before being sworn Mr. Evan Morgan, a friend of deceased, was cautioned by the coroner.

Morgan described an interview he had with Roberts, and said he found him working in his garden. Roberts said: "We will have a drop of whisky."

Roberts poured out a glass of whisky, adding sugar and hot water. He then said: "I will leave mine till I go to bed."

Witness said: "Take a drop of whisky now," and Roberts poured out a glass for himself.

"After this conversation," continued witness, "I left. My whisky was finished, but there was more than two-thirds of the whisky left in Roberts's glass. As I left he made a pause by putting his finger in the glass to cool the whisky."

Morgan said he went slowly home. Ten minutes after he got home, and about an hour after he left Roberts, a message came that Roberts was dead.

When Morgan left the court he was wildly cheered by a great crowd.

HARVEST OF DEATH.

Sixty-Five Perish in Sealing Disaster—The King's Message of Sympathy.

ST. JOHN'S (Newfoundland), April 3.—The latest message from the Bellaventure says:

"I have on board thirty-four survivors, five being serious cases. I have also aboard fifty-eight dead."

Reports from the steamer Newfoundland, the steamer the Floridian, and Stephano, who were near her, say that she is not yet certain how many men she had on the ice when the blizzard began. They report having aboard seven dead and two alive.

"My ship was ramming for nine hours yesterday to reach the floes, four miles away, where the exhausted men were."—Reuter.

The number of dead, so far as can be at present stated with certainty, is sixty-five—fifty-eight on the Bellaventure and the seven reported dead by the Newfoundland. Twenty are stated by the Central News to be missing.

ST. JOHN'S (Newfoundland), April 3.—The Newfoundland's crew, numbering 120, with the crews of other vessels of the fleet, were aware on the ice hunting seals when the storm began.

The crew of the Newfoundland managed to regain their ships.

The crew of the Newfoundland were working on an iceflow, which separated from the main body.

Fears are entertained that the sealing ship Southern Cross went down with all on board during the blizzard. She carried a crew of 170 men.

The Bellaventure and Stephano, fast and powerful steamers, daringly forced their way through the ice before the blizzard ceased, and effected some heroic rescues.—Central News.

The King sent the following message yesterday:

To the Governor, St. John's, Newfoundland.

I have received with profound regret the news of the terrible calamity which has befallen the crew of the sealing vessel the Bellaventure, and I extend my deepest sympathy and loss of life involved, and wish to offer our sincere sympathy with the families of those who have perished.

GEORGE, R.I.

(Photographs on page 10.)

SUBMARINE IN PERIL.

An alarming mishap, it was reported yesterday, befell submarine C 2 off Harwich on Thursday morning.

The vessel had gone through the exercise of attacking the Sunk Lighthouse, and on rising to the surface her commander, Lieutenant Shove, found that he was immediately beneath the parent ship, H.M.S. Hebe.

He attempted to manoeuvre between the Hebe and the Fairy, but the propeller of the Hebe caught the submarine, tearing away the periscope and the submarine's bow.

The impact threw everyone of the crew of fourteen on to the deck, and nearly all received bruises. Only the coolness of the officers and the men under them averted serious consequences.

TO OPPOSE WOMEN SOLICITORS.

Will women be admitted as solicitors?

At a special meeting of the members of the Law Society in Chancery-lane yesterday a motion on the agenda to the effect that the society would welcome the removal of any existing disabilities which prevented women being admitted as solicitors was withdrawn.

Mr. Brinsley Harper asked what action the council were going to take on the admission of women solicitors, and the president replied that the council intended to oppose the Bill on the second reading.—Reuter.

A CHILD PAVLOVA

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

PARIS, April 3.—Miss June, the thirteen-year-old daughter of an Englishman and his favorite pupil of Mme. Pavlova, appeared in "The Death of the Swan" last night at the Folies Bergère.

She scored a great success, and was recalled several times. By the press she is hailed as "la nouvelle étoile" (the new star), little Miss June.

LARDER CAPTIVE.

Suffragette's Appeal to Caretaker Not to Shoot Her.

MANSION FIRE PLOT.

A remarkable story of a suffragette being found in the larder at a mansion, of shots by the caretaker to summon assistance, and of the discovery of firelighters, a five-chambered revolver and postcard messages in the grounds, was reported last night from Glasgow.

The house in question was Springhall, a large mansion six miles from Glasgow, which belonged to the late Dr. Adam Paterson, who gave up his law ten years ago.

It appears that early yesterday morning the caretaker, a man named Thomas Leslie, was aroused by a peculiar noise. Picking up a loaded revolver, he went to the larder from which the sounds came, and found a woman standing there.

Leslie fired two shots in the air to attract police attention, and then seized the woman, who, in a frenzied state, exclaimed that she would do no harm if only he would not shoot her.

After locking the woman in the kitchen, Leslie phoned for the police, who arrested the woman.

As the police entered they saw several persons scurrying from the estate.

On the estate near the house were found:

Ten large firelighters, three flasks of paraffin oil, an electric torch, a pocket-knife, 14lb. of coal in a hod, two boxes of matches, a revolver, a six-chambered revolver loaded with blank cartridges, a map of the Glasgow district, a bottle of perfume, overcoats and waterproofed cap.

At another part of the estate postcards were picked up bearing the following messages:

To Mr. McKeown, Justice of the Peace.—One result of Mrs. Panckhurst's arrest. From one who was constitutional, now militant.

Abolish women send a message to their new Minister of War. Wait and see result of coercion and torture.

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Sir Charles.

General Sir Charles Douglas is expected to succeed Field-Marshal Sir John French as Chief of the Imperial General Staff. He first saw field service in Afghanistan, and was in the celebrated march under Lord Roberts to Kandahar.

Sir Charles is a great believer in cycle corps, and on one occasion at Aldershot organised some cyclist manoeuvres.

Tin-tack Tactics.

He arrived at one position to find a troop of men calmly sitting beside a bank watching an opposing force of wheelers approaching them. He called the attention of the subaltern in command to the fact that he was in danger of being cut off from his main army.

"Don't you worry, sir," came the reply. "I have peppered that road with sixpenny-worth of tin tacks. Wait till they get off to repair their punctures, and see me round the whole of them up in next to no time!"

Tasty Seal Meat.

Talking of the Newfoundland sealing disaster, a friend who has had some experience in seal hunting round the Labrador coasts tells me that the animals make very good eating when the fat or blubber is removed.

The Newfoundland fisherman like them so much that they will often eat them raw.

The seal fishery, as it is called, opens in the middle of March and lasts only for a few weeks. This period always falls in Lent, and most of the fishermen are good Roman Catholics, who deny themselves meat during that period of fast, but they are not deprived of their favourite seal meat, for the Roman Church considers the seal as a fish.

Cynics say if it did not, Newfoundlanders would leave the Church.

"Sculping a Swine."

The Newfoundland has his own language of seal fishing. The seal is a "swile"; to skin one is to "sculp" it.

Atlantic seals are not fur-bearing, as most people suppose. They have a tough hide that makes a strong and durable leather.

Thousands are killed in the course of the short season, and the fishermen, three of four hundred of whom will crowd into one small ship, are fined five cents for each hole in the skins they secure. Therefore the seal is killed carefully, generally with a blow on the head from a club.

A Bloodthirsty Business.

Seal-killing is a bloodthirsty occupation. The killing season corresponds with the breeding season, for then it is easy to get at the animals in numbers together.

Little white baby seals are born on the ice floes, and are attended with the greatest fidelity by their parents.

Often a baby seal will drift miles away on a floating ice floe while its mother is away fishing, but the instinct of the parent never fails. They always find their own babies—and too often a violent death—on their return.

THIS MORNING'S GOSSIP

No Small Potatoes.

An Easterer who had bought a farm in California had heard of his neighbour's talent for raising large potatoes, so sent his farmhand over to get a hundred pounds.

"You go back home," answered the talented farmer to the messenger, "and tell your boss that I won't cut a potato for any-one!"

Spying Doesn't Pay.

Spying, I have always thought, is a much-reduced occupation. The unfortunate German who is just beginning a six years' sentence for spying into English affairs would probably agree with me.

Only the very young can see anything romantic about the spy. Years ago in Paris I knew two German students who were risking their liberty at the game of secret service.

They never found out anything of importance, I am sure, but they used to write voluminous reports to Berlin on overheard coffee conversations, in return for which they received something under £5 a year.

Never Say "Ja."

But these young men thoroughly enjoyed the romance. When they met at a restaurant or cafe they never used the word "Ja," but always the English equivalent, "Yes."

"Ja," they said, was the only German word a Frenchman knew. They could carry on all their conversation in their native tongue without attracting notice so long as they avoided "Ja." So they said "Yes," and were mistaken for Englishmen.

The Campaign for the Blind.

Miss Pauline Chase has evolved a great scheme to help the funds of the National Institute for the Blind. She has written to the honorary treasurer:—

"Of course, I love your scheme, and I have thought of a way in which surely a million pounds at least would be subscribed to it."

"The Government do not need to vote any money; all they have to do is to fix a time when every person in the British Isles who can see must bandage his eyes for an hour and think about the blind."

"Then, when the bandages were removed, don't you think that in pity or thankfulness they would subscribe the million?"

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Why He Wears Glasses.

M. Maurice Donnay, the popular novelist, told a fashionable audience at the Société des Conférences in Paris the other day how he came to wear his glasses when lecturing.

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edition is to be published.

Don't Worry Sir Arthur.

French critics are accusing Sir Arthur Conan Doyle of plagiarism in their notices of "La Force Mysterieuse," by Rosny Aîné, which has just been published.

The story has been appearing in serial form, and the Frenchmen say that Conan Doyle's "The Poison Belt" was, to say the least, "inspired" by the first few instalments, for the subject of both books is remarkably alike.

But Sir Arthur is not worrying. I spoke to him on the telephone yesterday. He is by no means distressed. Plagiarism is always being alleged against somebody, he says, and it is not even worth while to deny it; and, incidentally, until I told him of M. Rosny's book Sir Arthur had never heard of it.

Do You Ever Want to Go Wild?

What is the best way to go wild? Every one feels this primal instinct rising at some time or another, and I know a man who has worked out his programme for running amok to an exact point.

He is really a most influential, quiet, rating-citizen, with large cares and responsibilities and an honoured name, but one day, he says, he knows he will have to go wild, and this is what he is going to do.

Wants to Kick a Tray Over.

He is going to select a big restaurant, or, for choice, a public banquet, and, picking out the most pompous-looking man in the room—he hopes for a traditional provincial alderman—he will walk up to him and quietly empty a soup tureen over his head.

Another staid and worthy professional man I know admits that he longs to kick over one of those trays of studs and trinkets that street-sellers carry in front of them.

A third would-be wild man is ever tempted at the sight of a box of eggs outside a grocer's shop to push it into a passing inoffensive pedestrian.

There must be many other good ways of working off the wild spirit if one only knew.

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ICE-CREAM APRIL.

Rush of Orders for Summer Shirts and Ties Caused by Warm Weather.

Will April continue to smile during the week-end?

In anticipation of fine, sunny weather, thousands of Londoners have planned week-end excursions to the country and seaside.

Hundreds of people have arranged boating and picnic parties "up river," while motorists of all grades will be "on the road"—if the weather is fine.

"Light breezes; fine and sunny; temperature above normal." That is what the weather expert foretold yesterday for today and to-morrow.

Another gloriously sunny day yesterday made the third almost perfect day of the present month. Here are the shade temperatures registered by Messrs. Negretti and Zambra:—

9 a.m.	2 p.m.	6 p.m.
48	57	56

The maximum solar temperature was 88.

Ice-cream vendors had a big sale in the London streets yesterday, while fruiterers were busier than ever.

The sunny, warm weather of the past week has given a spirited fillip to the businesses of shirt-makers and tailors. They are working overtime on Easter orders, and the sudden advent of summer-like weather created an immediate demand for "summer" shirts and ties.

"Young men," said a West End shirtmaker, "do not and cannot be expected to buy bright shirts and ties when the weather is dull."

Queen Mary sent £50 yesterday to the Lord Mayor of London for the fund he has opened on behalf of the National Institute for the Blind.

Actor-Parson.

An actor-parson is holding the Good Friday services at the London Pavilion, Piccadilly-circus, this year. He is the Rev. Everard Digby, vicar of St. Agatha's, Shoreditch.

Mr. Digby says he always feels more at home on the stage than in the pulpit, for he was an actor for over ten years, and has only been a parson for six.

His last part before he took orders was in Judge Parry's play, "What the Butler Saw," in which Mr. Digby created the character of the Professor, but since then he has returned to the stage. He appeared at the Oxford Music-Hall last year in a benefit performance for Charles Coborn.

Philosophy.

The little man in the omnibus was explaining to a man from the country the sights as we passed them.

At Trafalgar-square he said, "This is where all the all the meetings are held. I wonder what them lions would say if they could talk."

At the Law Courts he said, "This is where, if you ever go inside you had better keep quiet. If you laugh when you shouldn't you get turned out, and if you don't laugh when they think you should you get turned out; so it is best to keep outside if you can."

"Bloomin' philosopher, I calls 'im," murmured the conductor as I passed out.

A "Ruritanian" Prince.

One of the most interesting events of the parliamentary week has been the maiden speech of Mr. Yeo, the member who recently succeeded Sir Sydney Buxton in the representation of Poplar. Mr. Yeo is a little man with a mop of white hair, a pair of sparkling eyes, a breezy manner and an enormous moustache. He has been likened to a musical comedy "Ruritanian" Crown Prince. The description is perfect.

Moustached M.P.s.

Seldom has a man with such a big moustache sat on the green benches of the Popular Chamber. Possibly Sir Robert Hermon-Hodge, the ex-M.P. for Croydon, might have "out-moustached" the merry little man from Poplar, but Sir Robert has a very small face, and this accentuates his hirsute adornment.

The Silent Bombardier.

At the present moment there appears to be something like mystery surrounding those responsible for the management of our boxing champion, Bombardier Wells.

Mr. Dick Burge has offered Wells a purse of £2,000 to meet Gunboat Smith, and a purse of £800 to meet Jim Savage, the American, who is now in London waiting for the contest. Although there is every reason to believe that Wells is anxious for these matches—and his many friends believe he will win both—and climb right to the top of the tree—his managers maintain an unbroken silence.

The sporting public is naturally astonished at such offers being ignored. Personally I do not think such a policy of silence is in Wells's best interests.

THE RAMBLER.

CHOCOLATE MUNCHERS.

Boom in Sweetmeat That Is Found in the Mouth of Everybody.

The Easter trade in chocolate has begun with extraordinary briskness.

Everybody is just now munching the popular sweetmeat as a form of dessert or as a substitute for the knife-and-fork repast delayed by press of work.

It was only a night or two ago that *The Daily Mirror* saw a Cabinet Minister eating with evident relish a cake of "Mexican" at a theatre.

The greatest demand for chocolate comes from the cotton mills. One wholesale confectioner alone recently supplied seven tons of chocolate to a mill in Bradford.

Chocolate trading by employees in mills and factories forms the topic of an important discussion at a recent meeting of the Bradford Wholesale Sugar Confectioners' Association.

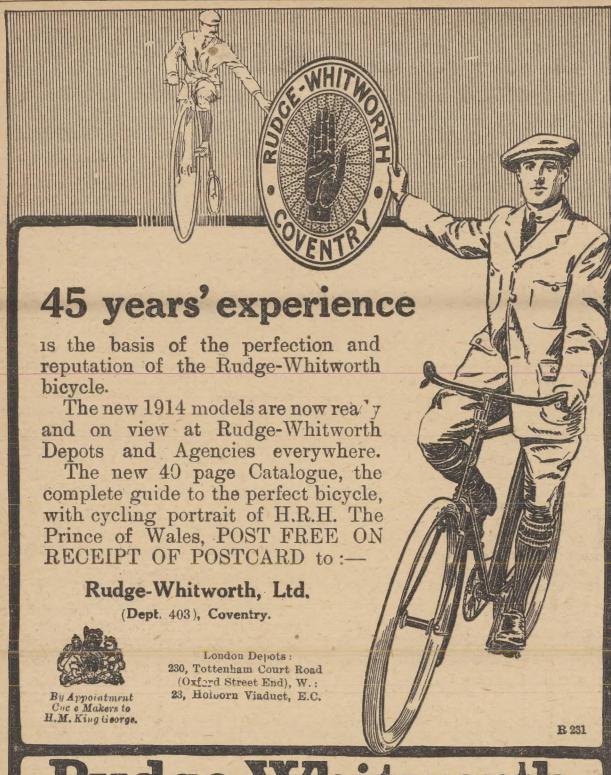
The Bradford Easter chocolate clubs are formed in the mills, and in one case last Easter a profit of no less than £13 was made.

This state of affairs drew, according to the Confectioners' Union's report of the meeting, a strong protest from one of the speakers.

"It was entirely unfair," said this speaker, "to take the bread out of the mouths of legitimate traders, who had shop rents and rates to pay."

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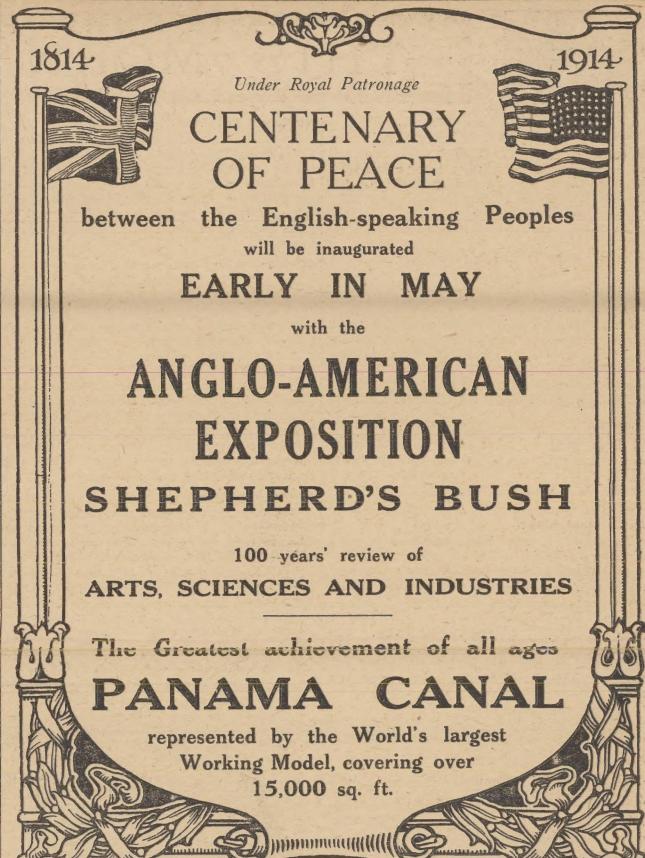
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THE FORTUNE-HUNTER.

We are always reading in the papers, about men who marry for money—"fortune-hunters" is the derisive term applied to them. Nearly everybody not provided, by thoughtful parents or kind friends, with an adequate sum of money safely invested, is, it is true, a fortune-hunter; or a competence-seeker, which is nearly the same thing. But the true hunter is of the special type that reveals duplicity by pretending to want a wife, while what he really wants is money. We have heard of him. But we cannot claim that we have ever seen him at work. Or, at least, the few we have ever seen, have failed and failed dismally—have, in their persons, displayed for moralists the vanity of fortune-hunting. We can recall several instances in proof of this.

One was that of a young man who made up his mind, sufficiently early in life, that marriage was the career for him; and, indeed, we think he would have made a very attentive husband. He was good-looking, but very young in appearance, and the first girl, reported rich, whom he met utterly disdained him on that score. A mere boy! She married a man of forty not long afterwards—one of the bronzed military and rather surly type who are understood to be of great use in a fire, or a shipwreck, or a mutiny, or a siege or something; but who are in ordinary events (such as dinner-parties or theatres) exceedingly silent, sulky and disagreeable. But that has nothing to do with our young man.

He passed on, next, to a rather middle-aged lady who, we think, did like him. She was said to be very well off; but how well off was she? How do men find these things out? That is just the point. Surely no man—however much a fortune-hunter—can say: "Now, my good girl, I will marry you if you can assure me that your income is ample for my needs." Not even the sunburnt and brutal hero, like the hero of Mr. Somerset Maugham's stimulating drama, "The Land of Promise"—not even he dares (away from the prairie) to talk like that. And in this case it really wasn't known how much the lady was worth. Perhaps she had an annuity? Had she an annuity? One day our young man delicately hinted as much. At once, he was severely snubbed and told to mind his own business. Also, this middle-aged lady confessed to him that she considered that all men ought to work—to work hard, to work incessantly—even if they had strictly no need to. And that didn't suit our young man at all.

So he fell back upon a determined American girl with a lassish American family who absorbed him, and put him in his place, and told him what to do, and reminded him every day of the extraordinary incompetence and slowness of all Englishmen, and finally, after a short but sickening struggle, insisted upon his living in America, where he now is, thoroughly kept in and suppressed, and even, we gather, slightly Americanised.

If you call that fortune-hunting, we say there is nothing in it. And we ask again, of successful fortune-hunters—how do they proceed? Do any of them make it pay?

W. M.

THROUGH "THE MIRROR."

HOW LONG?

HOW long ought a girl, in fairness, to keep a man waiting for a definite answer? I have asked a girl to marry me, and she keeps me in suspense. She says she loves me—but I must wait.

SUSPENSE.

MORE CRANKINESS.

None of your correspondents appears to have recalled an American definition of crankiness: "A man with a new idea is a crank—until the idea succeeds."

DOUGLAS BOX.
Brighton Cruising Club, Brighton.

SINCE coming to England I have become a crank on the subject of torturing dogs for the supposed convenience of man. To chain up a dog for life and to never release it is to torture it. Yet

THE FOOTBALL FIANCÉ.

I happen to be the fiancée of a football enthusiast, and I find it very difficult, indeed, to be always in a sweet temper with him. If I suggest a country walk in the afternoon, or a boat trip, to him, his answer is this: "I should be glad to come with you, but you know that there is a grand match to-day, and I must on no account miss it."

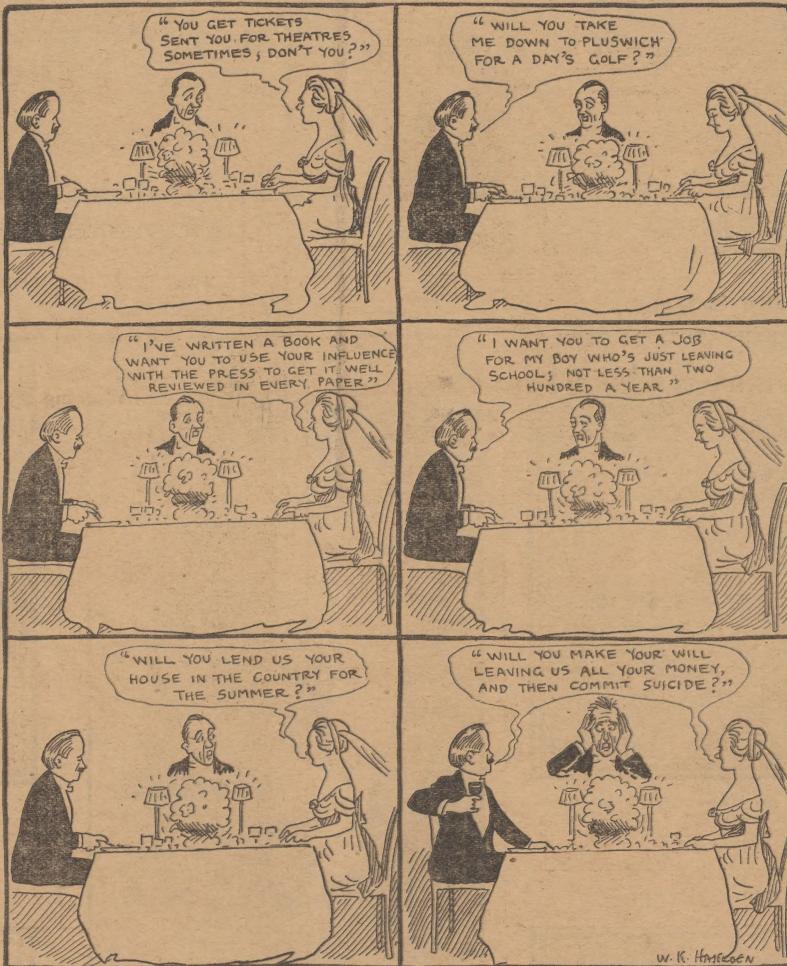
This has happened very often of late, and I am getting very tired of these excuses. What pleasure can a man find in sitting on a hard bench watching a troop of men and boys kick a ball?

A. M.

THE FINDING FAULT HABIT.

I HAVE read most of the sentimental trash with reference to the "Improvement of Lovers," and I am surprised to think that there are so many people, presumably in possession of their full

PEOPLE ONE DINES WITH FOR THE FIRST AND LAST TIME—NO. 4.



The host and hostess who are visibly "on the make," and who keep up, during dinner, a crescendo of "wants"; until, towards the end, it appears that they want everything you've got and a bit more too.—(By Mr. W. K. Haselden.)

this is how most watch-dogs are treated in this country.

To me this is horrible, but I find no one else seems to notice it or to mind seeing these poor solitary prisoners doing their life sentences. Therefore I must be a "crank" on this subject!

A LOVER OF DOGS.

THE HOPE.

If Sleep and Death be truly one,
And every spirit's folded bloom
Thro' all its interval gloom
In some long' trans'it should slumber on;

Unconscious of the sinking hour,
Bare of the body, might it last,
And silent traces of the past
Be all the colour of the flower;

So then were nothing lost to man;
So that still garden of the souls
In many a figured leaf carv'd
The total loss since life began;

And then will last as pure and whole
As when he loves us here in Time,
And at the spiritual prime
Resawken with the dawning soul.

—TENNYSON.

Of course, the "Newlyweds" quarrel after the honeymoon, when foolish infatuation has waned. He finds that she frankly discards all pretence of love, and is only after pretty clothes and a good time.

She thinks him a brute, because when a hard day's work is over he wishes to sit quiet and not gad about after amusements. Finally, she either goes home to mother, or, worse still, brings mother to live with them. Poor husband! One cannot help feeling sorry for him, although undoubtedly it was not through lack of warning that he fell into the marriage trap.

REASON.

A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

Trust men and they will be true to you; treat them greatly and they will show themselves great.

—EMERSON.

"LUXURY."

Does the Middle-Class Family of To-Day Spend Too Much on Its Pleasures?

I AM much interested in your letters on "Luxury," but I think the reason why the young people of to-day spend so much money on pleasures is due to the fact that they earn it!

Fifty years ago a girl "earning her own living" was rare. She was allowed a certain sum of money for dress, and with this she had to be content. Nowadays, as soon as she leaves school she "goes to business" and earns the money for her clothes and pleasures. This, in its way, makes the father more extravagant, for instead of having to give his daughter a dress allowance he spends that money on his pleasures. My mother is continually telling me I am extravagant—I am—she was never allowed to go to theatres or belong to this club and that; but, as I am always pointing out, she didn't earn it!

A hat was supposed to last a season. Well, how could it possibly last one last season when fashions in women's hats change about every other week nowadays?

People were taught to be economical fifty years ago. Now they are taught to spend their incomes on luxury. Labour-saving devices are continually being invented. Every one likes as little work as possible. So, if they can afford these devices they buy them. Our grandparents didn't have the opportunity of spending so much money on luxuries.

A LOVER OF LUXURY.

IF the middle class are living in luxury, I very much doubt, I am sure that they certainly deserve it. They bear the bulk of the taxation, never strike, and, having a hard job to find to support the education of their own children, are forced to pay in order that the working man (who often earns more than the middle-class clerk) may have his child educated free. Every petty injustice and tax tyranny possible is placed upon their shoulders, and while middle-class doctors and middle-class lawyers strike upon the least provocation, the middle class are expected to bear every burden patiently.

If ever a class deserved to live in luxury it is the middle class of to-day.

DEADERICK.

THE miracles of economy effected by the middle-class girl of to-day, in order that she may dress properly and not disgrace her young man when she goes out for a walk with him, elicit my sincerest admiration.

Luxury, indeed! Does anybody realise the care and contriving needed by that brave little woman in order that she may look as neat as she does?

Women were protected in the "good, old days." They never had to fight for themselves. I am proud of being engaged to a nice girl who has known what it is to earn her dress allowance. When she is my wife she shall not work any more, but, if I can manage it, her dress allowance shall be more liberal than it is now.

A girl who manages to look neat and nice on money she earns for herself is not to be accused of "luxury"—especially by people who do not have to earn their money. The girl of to-day has, I venture to assert, a good deal more courage—even if also she occasionally has less modesty—than her grandparents. And, after all, the old-fashioned modesty was often enough "put on."

AMOR VINCENT OMNIA.

IN MY GARDEN.

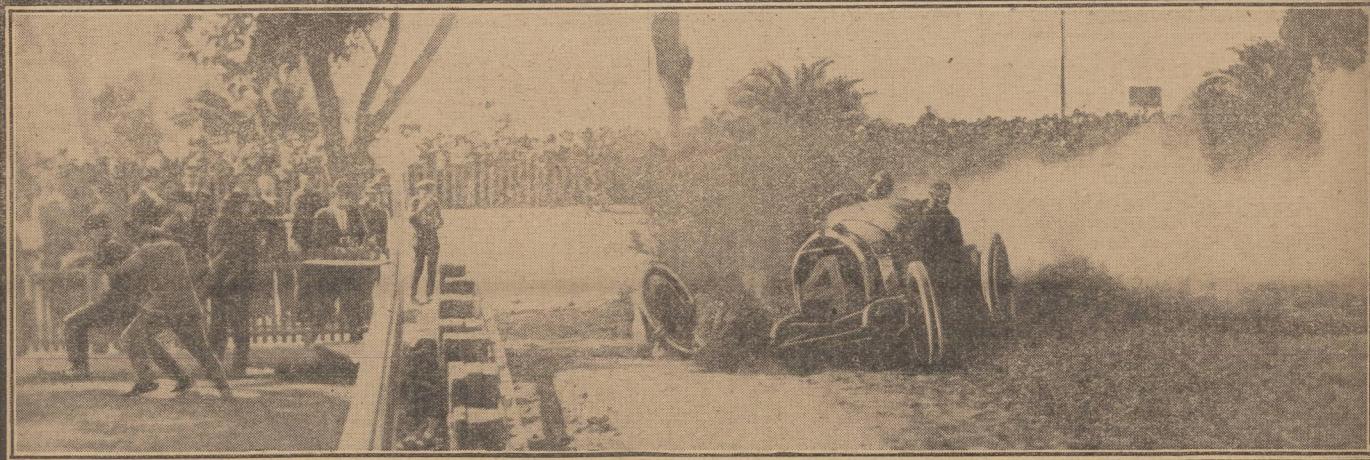
APRIL 3.—Lawns can now be mown for the first time, and should be afterwards well rolled. Where the ground is uneven the ground must be raked over and grass seed sown. Sprinkle a little soil over the seed and protect it from the birds.

The pruning of all roses, save, perhaps, the teas in cold districts, should be finished as soon as possible. Roses recently planted should all be cut right back the first season.

Now is the time to set out carnations in prepared beds. It is best to obtain them in pots.

E. F. T.

RACING MOTORIST'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH IN CALIFORNIA.



Pullen, the racing motorist, and his mechanic had marvellous escapes from death during the competition for the Vanderbilt Cup on the Santa Monica course, in California. While rounding "Death Curve," one of the wheels came off and the vehicle collapsed. The pic-

ture illustrates the incident, and shows the spectators running out of the way. Two days later Pullen, none the worse for his adventure, won the race for the Grand Prize with the same motor-car.

EDITOR AND NOVELIST.



Mr. David Whitelaw, the editor of the new "Premier Magazine," which bids fair to achieve a great success. He is also a novelist of no small popularity. His latest book is "A Castle in Bohemia."

MR. ASTOR'S FIANCÉE.



A new picture of Miss Helen Huntington, Mr. Vincent Astor's fiancée. Mr. Astor inherited £18,000,000 from his father (a *Titanic* victim), and has been described as "America's most eligible bachelor."

TROUSERED SUFFRAGETTE.



Dr. Mary Walker, the famous American suffragette, learning to dance the tango. She is very eccentric, and for more than fifty years has dressed in male attire. For this she now has special permission of Congress. Outdoors she wears a tall hat.

NEW "KEEP FIT" SCHEME.



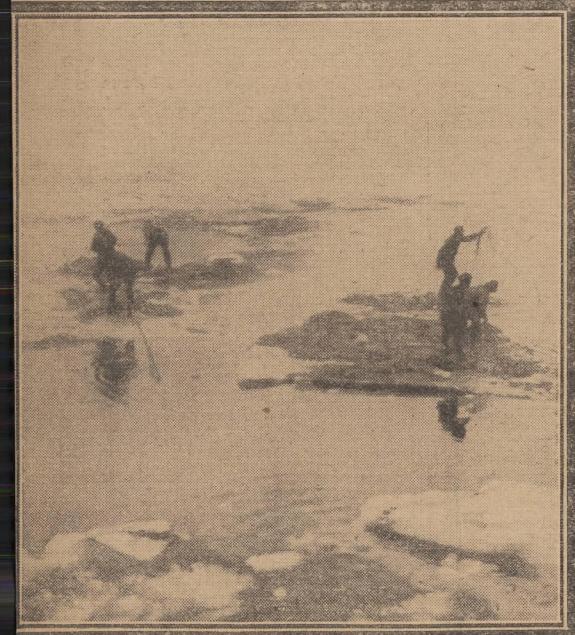
Benjamin Tillman, a United States senator, has invented a series of physical exercises for those who wish to live to a ripe old age. Miss Louise Alexander, a dancer, is seen doing one of them.

A NEW SPRING MODEL.

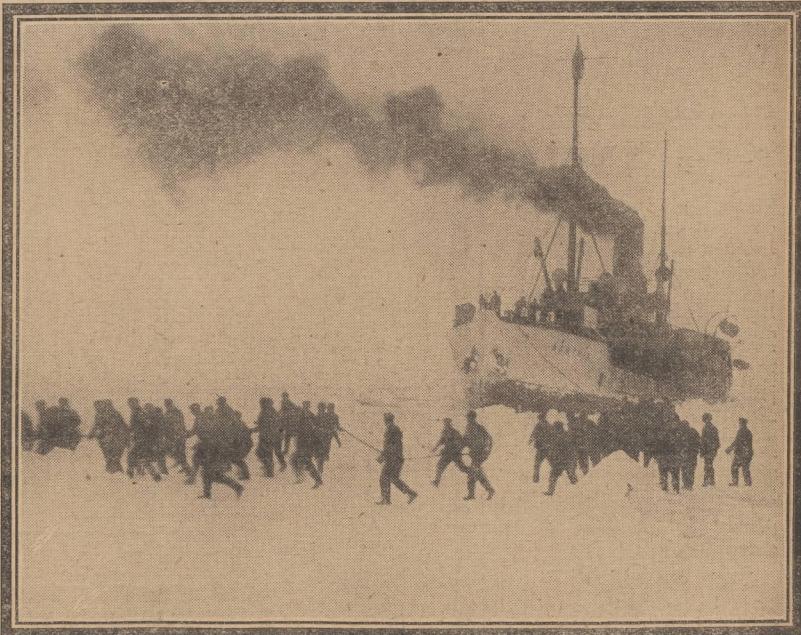


Hat of black tegal straw, with a very narrow brim, trimmed with a quill on either side. All the new hats are trimmed so as to give them a flat effect, as in the case of the model shown.—(Photograph, Austin, Paris.)

SEAL HUNTERS' TERRIBLE FATE IN A BLIZZARD: SIXTY-FIVE DEAD



Difficult travelling. They jump from floe to floe.



Off for the day's work. They go lightly clad, and carry only a handful of biscuits.



Flag denoting to which vessel the skins belong.



One of the wells they make in the ice.



Diverting old seals' attention while killing young.

Thirty-seven of the survivors of the sealing ship Newfoundland have been picked up by the Bellaventure, but sixty-five are dead and twenty missing. They were seeking seals on the ice floes near Labrador, when they were caught in a blizzard. The crews

travel over the ice killing seals as they go. The skins, which are called "pelts," are piled on the ice; a flag denoting to which ship they belong. Many of the survivors are in a very precarious condition.

SPRING TIME IN LONDON: SIGNS DENOTING THAT WINTER IS REALLY OVER.



The paddling season begins.



Blossoms a blaze of colour on the riverside at Fulham.



Cooler for horses at Hampstead.

Wherever you go there are signs that spring—real spring—has arrived. London is daily becoming a much pleasanter place, and will soon be at its best.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)



Something like A LAWN

Smooth and green from end to end. A Velvas Lawn—cleansed from weeds and fed on Velvas.

"You can see to an inch where I have used Velvas," says one delighted user. Your lawn may be a mass of weeds and patches, but provided some grass roots remain, it is still capable of quick transformation by Velvas Lawn Sand—that marvellous Carmona preparation which kills grass weeds and restores grass in growth, colour and texture, as if by magic. Four ounces to the square yard will make your lawn like it. Try it—most seedsmen sell it—every one can get it for you.

Prices: Tins 6d., 1/-, 2/-, 3/-;
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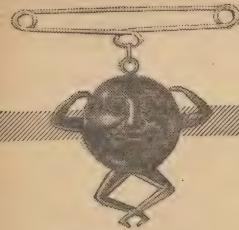
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PER OUNCE



WHAT IS IT?

"TOUCHWOOD" THE MAGIC CHARM.

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ALEXANDRA was so delighted with this magic charm that her Majesty purchased a number of them; no wonder, he is such a quaint little oddity, firmly believed in for thousands of years as a sure bringer of good luck, happiness and prosperity.

The Wonderful Eastern Mascot.

The Eastern people call him their *Holy Charm* because his head is made of sacred oak and his arms and legs either of gold or silver. His weird little eyes hold a curious fascination; they are set with real gems of the Zodiacal signs. In America, from East to West, he is worn by thousands of men, women and children on guards, bangles and watch-chains.

The Wonderful Eastern Mascot Brooch

We have received a special consignment both in gold and silver of these lucky mascots, with safety brooch attachment, which can be worn on a blouse or collar, or as a lace pin; the charm can also be detached and worn on a chain or bracelet if desired.



The above are very appropriate for Easter Gifts, as each one is packed in a specially-coloured Easter Egg as an Easter Gift or birthday present. You could not choose anything better.

DERRY & TOMS KENSINGTON, LONDON, W.

We are offering these at the following prices—

Silver Mascots	2/-	each	1/6
With Brooch			
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9ct. Gold Mascots, with Eyes of Real Brilliants, Rubies, Amethysts, Emeralds, etc., etc., at (each) 10/-			£1 10
ALL POST FREE.			

The above are packed in EASTER EGGS, and a specially-designed card giving the history and origin of this wonderful mascot is also enclosed.



A NEW HOME TREATMENT FOR MAKING STRAIGHT HAIR WAVY AND FLUFFY.

Many a charming face is spoiled by straight, lank and excessively greasy hair. Naturally curly hair gives a most charming effect to even a plain face, a fact which unfortunately has been known for many years. This knowledge alone has resulted in the ruination of thousands of girls of beautiful hair by slow torture, from that terrible instrument—the curling iron. Imagine if you can how the living hair squirms and twists under such treatment. Yet this is the very result you aim at. Well, I have no doubt that each one individually is of the opinion that the results justify the means, but let me tell you that the reckoning will have to be paid, and in a manner which will be far from pleasant. The hair will be tortured by the hot iron, the hairs' dying contortions, and it is only a question of time when you will have no hair left to torture. If it is absolutely necessary to have wavy hair then there is a far more simple and harmless process, which any woman may adopt without fear as to the results. Get from your chemist two ounces of silmerine, and pour about two tablespoonsfuls into a small wide-necked bottle. Add to this the hair when retiring. You will be quite amazed at the result, and one application will last for many days. Damp weather need have no terrors for you if you take these simple precautions, and straight, wispy tails will be converted into tight little curls.—(Advt.)

OUR CHILDREN'S SATURDAY CORNER.

The Happy Twins Have a Most Delightful Time in Cloudland, and Prepare for the Rainbow Journey.

My Dear Boys and Girls,—I want all my little friends to see what a pretty picture they can make of this week's picture of the children asleep in the nest. Just try your best—that is all I want you to do.

Only children under sixteen may take part in our competition. The youngest boy or girl has a chance of winning a prize or gaining a certificate.

Four prizes are offered for the best attempt—5s., 3s. and two of 2s. 6d. each—and several certificates of merit will be awarded.

Prizes for colouring the picture in the magic garden are awarded to: First (5s.), Raymond Green (aged ten), 22, Windsor-road, Wanstead, Essex; second (3s.), Gladys Plommer (aged eleven), Brookwood Park, London, S.E. 16; third (2s. 6d.), Phillip Gabriel (aged thirteen), Locksley, Upminster, Essex; fourth (2s. 6d.), Leslie Harris (aged thirteen), 82, Dalmatia-road, Southchurch, Southend-on-Sea.

Goodbye until next week. AUNT MARY.

GREEN CAP RETURNS SAFE AND SOUND

(Continued from last week.)

Going to bed in cloudland is a very exciting thing—far more exciting (although, perhaps, not so nice)—than having a good-night sweet and being tucked in by your mother.

Since Green Cap was banished to a cabbage patch for boasting a week ago, Jack and Joan had been having a most delightful time, going to bed



Four prizes are offered for colouring this picture.

CHEERFUL BEDROOMS IN THE HOME ARTISTIC

The Wise Mistress of the Present Day
Considers the Needs of Her Servants.

One of the first cares of the prudent housewife is to see that her servant's bedroom is bright and comfortable. The theory that "anything will do for the maid" belongs to a past age, when housewives in general were less considerate towards their servants than when there was no servant problem as we know it to-day.

Domestic service is no longer a despised calling. It is followed by thousands of bright, cheerful girls from good homes, who, attracted by higher wages and a more kindly attitude on the part of mistresses, regard it as a congenial method of earning their own living.

What is the secret—what is the "secret"?

And then the wise mistress remembers that the maid's room is the only one which she can call her

"DAILY MIRROR" DEMONSTRATION

MONDAY, April 5.—The Home Artistic: New Ideas for Spring Decorations. Lecture-demonstration, illustrated by suites of rooms showing schemes of furnishing and colour with decorative schemes. T. W. Thompson, Totternhoe Court-road, W. 3 p.m.

Free reserved seats on application to *Daily Mirror* Offices, Bouvieu-street, E.C., envelope to be marked "Home."

very own, and that if it is bright and cheerful, the girl herself will be bright and cheerful, and work all the better.

Mr. Morris Davis, head of Messrs. T. W. Thompson and Co., Totternhoe Court-road—where the twelfth *Daily Mirror* demonstration, on "The Home Artistic," takes place next Monday afternoon—declares that as much attention is now given, in proportion, to securing pretty, useful furniture in the servant's room as to that of any other apartment.

"First of all," he says, "the room itself should be light and airy, instead of the old dark, slip-room which was often given to the maid because nobody else would have it."

when they liked and sometimes playing hide and seek the whole night long.

Then Green Cap arrived. He climbed up the tree where the children were living with the boy in his nest. Green Cap round them and cried, "Oh, I'm so glad to see you. It seems years since I have been away."

"How have you been enjoying yourself?" asked Green Cap. "Have you had any special adventures?"

"We haven't gone on to the rainbow yet," said the boy. "It is rather difficult, you know, and I expect we shall have many a battle with the Indians and other enemies of mine on the road."

"What do you mean?" cried Joan very eagerly, sitting up in the nest.

"We will start to-morrow, I think, at sunrise.

I will get some swords for you, Jack, and you, Green Cap, and a bow and arrow for Joan."

Jack jumped up with excitement at the prospect of a real battle. He danced on one leg on the edge of the nest, and was only saved from falling over by Green Cap catching hold of him.

It was just twilight. The moon shone like a silver lamp in the sky and the stars were coming out one by one. Immediately it was dark hundreds of fairies came flying round the nest for their nightly frolic.

"How pretty they look! I wish we could take some home!" said Joan, as she tried to catch hold of their wings. They sounded like hundreds of musical-boxes playing.

"I must get my two lamps," said the boy, as he took two glowworms out of a cupboard in the tree and hung them up on the branches.

The boy crept out of the nest, and, smiling bravely, took up his sword and stood on guard to protect the children. We see him standing there in the picture, waiting for any Indians or wild animals that may come along.

Next Saturday we shall see how the children fought their first battle on the way to the rainbow.

I GREW NEW HAIR ON MY BALD HEAD.

Natural Colour and Luxuriant Growth in
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To Prove that the remedy which cured my
hair troubles will stop your hair
falling, restore its natural
colour, and make it soft
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I will send 2/6 a full size packet of my
Treatment FREE

As it is my wish that everyone should share my good fortune in securing an abundant and healthy head of hair, I am offering my preparations upon terms that will place them within the reach of all. I trust myself to be the best excepting for the thin grey growth of hair round the sides and back of my head. For years my hair had been coming out and turning grey, and although I tried all the hitherto known means of arresting the trouble, including the various hair restorers so much advertised in the Press, I went on getting worse and worse. I was an Analytical Chemist by profession, and decided to turn my scientific and technical knowledge to account in connection with my hair trouble, feeling certain that there must be some means of restoring the activity of the hair-growing vessels and glands beneath the skin which I knew were only lying dormant.



These two photographs illustrate more clearly than words can do the vast improvement that my treatment could effect in the appearance of most ladies.



MY OWN CURE.

After a week's trial of my own treatment I examined my scalp and was amazed to find that was completely covered by very fine and short downy growth. After a few weeks I had a strong and unusually healthy head of hair of the original colour, the envy of my friends and acquaintances. Upon applying the same treatment to those of my friends and relatives who were deficient in hair growth, complete success always followed, and I then decided to give the general public the benefit of my discovery.

These successes were achieved in cases of

Baldness (in patches or all over head).
Hair coming out in the comb.

Greyness.

Dryness of the Hair.

Greasy Hair.

Losing its Lustre.

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One of the many advantages I perceived in my system of treatment was the very short time occupied in it during each week—so much so, that the busiest man would never say he had not time to properly carry out the treatment.

Another point very much appreciated by my Clients is this, that as soon as the hairs have grown to a length of about one inch the treatment may be entirely discontinued, and the hair will go on growing until it attains its normal length.

The letters of gratitude which I receive from ladies and gentlemen all over the world confirm me in the opinion I formed that my treatment would be successful in practically every case.

Every man and woman suffering from any hair trouble whatever should at once write to me, enclosing three penny stamps for postage, when I will immediately forward the full-size 2s. 6d. packet of my preparations with full instructions, also my booklet containing much useful information on the subject of hair growth, and photographs of a few of my grateful clients.

Cut out and send me the coupon below, and at once commence to experience the comfort of a healthy scalp with rapidly growing hair.

This Coupon entitles the sender to the full-size 2s. 6d. packet of Hair Treatment offered in "The Daily Mirror," April 4, 1914, free of charge.

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Put a cross against the line that applies to your case and enclose this coupon with three penny stamps to pay for postage, etc. Please write your name and address very distinctly on a separate sheet of paper, saying whether you are Mrs., Miss, or Mr.

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WEEK-END TICKETS to a large number of Holiday Resorts will be issued on Saturday, Friday, and Saturday, 9th, 10th, and 11th April, available for the return journey any day except day of issue up to and including the following Tuesday.

SATURDAY TO MONDAY TICKETS issued on Saturday, 11th April, will be available for return on the following Sunday (at or after 9.0 a.m.), Monday, or Tuesday.

On Wednesday, 8th April, a Special Dining Car Express will leave EUSTON at 4.50 p.m. for Liverpool (due 9.0 p.m.) and Fleetwood (due 10.25 p.m.) at ordinary fares.

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On Good Friday, 10th April, and on Sunday, 12th April, a Special Train at Ordinary Fares will leave EUSTON at 8.00 a.m., calling at Watford, Harrow, Watford, and all Stations thence to Northampton.

For full information and particulars of Local Excursions obtain Pamphlet at any of the Company's Stations or Town Offices, or write to the Enquiry Office, Euston Station, London, N.W.

ROBERT TURNBULL,
General Manager.

THIS MORNING'S NEWS ITEMS.

Ibsen's Widow Dead.

Mme. Susanna Ibsen, widow of Henrik Ibsen, the great playwright, died yesterday morning, says Reuter, at Christiania.

M.P.'s Airman Son Fined.

Mr. Brian Hunt, an airman, the son of Mr. Rowland Hunt, M.P., was fined £11 lbs. at Eastbourne yesterday for three motor-car offences.

New White Star Liner.

The White Star Line has placed an order with Messrs. Harland and Wolff, Limited, Belfast, for a steamer of about 33,000 tons gross register.

Claim Yet for Compensation.

No claim, it is stated, has been received in official quarters for compensation for Mr. Stirling in connection with the recent charge against him.

Brown Firm's £900,000 Liabilities.

The firm were liquidated in Berlin yesterday of the firm of Wolf Wentrich, Limited, warehousemen, and, says the Central News, the liabilities are stated to amount to £900,000.

But He Takes Off His Wig.

"I haven't got time even to have my hair cut before I go away," complained Mr. Justice Evin in the Chancery Division yesterday, in refusing an application to hear a case before the end of the sittings on Wednesday.

Ex-Colonial Governor Dead.

Sir Hubert Jerningham, K.C.M.G., a former Colonial Governor, died last night of pneumonia at his London residence, 14, Bruton-street, Berkeley-square.

Theatre on New Liner.

A vaudeville theatre, rivalling some of the largest variety houses in England, is a feature of the Cunard Aquitania, which starts her maiden voyage on May 30.

Saved by Dog's Bark.

Alarmed by her dog's barking, Mme. Martin, a farmer's wife, of Mercadieu (France), followed the dog to a haystack and found her husband hanging.

He Was Revived.

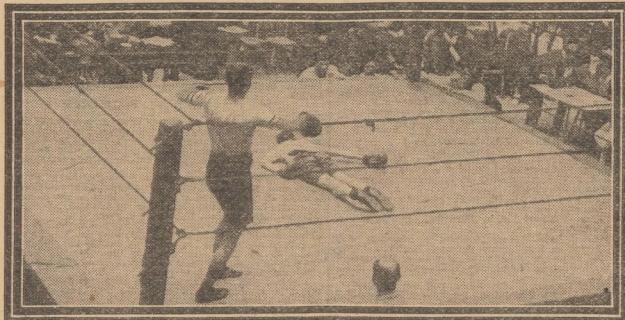
Saint Who Lost His Crown.

"A saint of the first water," was Mr. Plowden's description yesterday of a defendant, aged twenty-two, who, although he protested he had never in his life used bad language, was fined 5s.

Mishap to Racing Airmen.

M. Pierre Verrier, who left Hendon yesterday for the flying rally at Monaco, had to land at Chateauneuf, says a Dijon message, his machine being considerably damaged, but he was not hurt.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOYS IN THE RING.



A knock-out in the public schools boxing championships at Aldershot. Hard hitting was the order of the day.—("Daily Mirror" photograph.)

STOCKS AND SHARES.

Two More New Issues Oversubscribed—Oil Shares Rising.

9, BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

The Stock Markets were rather quieter yesterday, and under the influence of some pre-settlement selling prices generally were depressed. Consols fell another 1-16 to 76 7-16. Good features, however, were by no means lacking, prominent among them being Oil Shares and South Africans.

Further evidence of the return of the investor to the Stock Exchange is afforded by the latest new issues. So great was the rush of applications for Queensland's issue of £2,000,000 in 4 per cent. stock at 99 that the lists were closed before mid-day, the amount having been several times over-subscribed.

The lists for the offer of £2,000,000 in 4 per cent. stock by the City of Singapore have also been closed, although country applications received by first post-day will receive consideration. In each case, according to the terms of the prospectuses, the lists could have remained open until Monday.

Ceylon's £1,000,000 loan is understood to have been subscribed eight or nine times over, and large applicants are entitled to receive 10 per cent. of the amount for which they subscribe. The prospectus of the Grand Trunk's issue of £1,000,000 per cent. Debenture stock is now before the public.

Oil shares were again to the fore yesterday, and dealers were optimistically suggesting that the long-promised boom is now not far off. North Caucasians were once more the leader of the movement, strong Continental buying on dividend hopes sending the price up another 2s. The other Grosvenor shares, New Caucasians, Spies and West Caucasians were also prominent in the advance.

There was no change among Amalgamated Press, Associated Newspaper and Pictorial Newspaper prices.

TO SAVE THE WORN-OUT HORSE.

One of the strongest and most pitiable cases for reform ever presented to Parliament.

In these words in the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Walter Long described the facts of the worn-out horse traffic. He was speaking in support of the second reading of Colonel Walker's "Exportation of Horses Bill."

Colonel Walker said the Bill would remove the representations having regard to their foreign friends and neighbours that this traffic in decayed horses was the shame of England. Present regulations prevented the exportation of only those horses which were unfit for the sea journey to Belgium and he advocated their extension to include all animals which are unsightly and unfit for work.

The Bill was read a second time and the House rose.

Votes for Biomalz

Dr. S . . .

I have used the samples of Biomalz, which I find an excellent means of increasing physical energy and improving the general condition. I have noticed especially an obvious improvement in the colour of the complexion, stimulation of the appetite, and increase of body-weight.

Dr. W . . .

My wife has taken a course of Biomalz with great advantage. I was particularly gratified to observe a rapid increase of weight, together with a healthy blooming appearance of the complexion.

Nurse E. S . . .

In the course of my professional duties I have had considerable experience of Biomalz, which I have found more satisfactory than any other preparation. On account of my habitual pallor I have lately taken Biomalz myself, and am being constantly asked by my friends, "What have you done to improve your complexion so much?" My weight increased 2 lbs. per week during a month's treatment.

Mrs. D . . . (Doctor's Wife):

After five tins of Biomalz there was a very steady improvement in my appearance.

There was a steady improvement in my appetite with consequent increase of weight, and I feel much better in general health than before.

Indeed: There are many other preparations to ensure Health, Strength and Beauty, but none is better, none more palatable and more efficacious, than that excellent

Tonic Food Biomalz

which is highly appreciated all the world over.

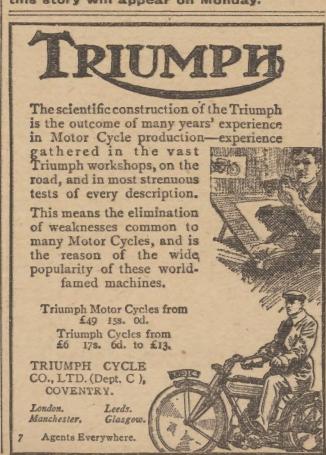
It strengthens the body wonderfully. Limp, flabby features disappear, the colour of the face becomes fresher and healthier, the complexion clearer. In the case of persons who have become anaemic, pale and thin through malnutrition, the appetite improves to a gratifying degree.

This food will be found better than any medicine or tonic by those run down from overwork, illness or nervous troubles, also for elderly people, expectant and nursing mothers, and anaemic children.

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LINCOLN FAILURES BEATEN AT DERBY.

Flippant Easily Defeats Cuthbert and Mediator in Doveridge Handicap.

BAD DAY FOR FAVOURITES.

Cuthbert repeated history by again beating all his Lincolnshire opponents in the Doveridge Handicap. In this race he met one too good for him. Flippant, who gained a rather easy victory by a couple of lengths. Mediator improved on his Lincoln form by getting third, but Cigar and Knuck-na-Corriga were again unplaced.

Last year Cuthbert started as a low favorite for the corresponding race after his Lincolnshire disappearance, and Flippant was again almost in demand, and Mediator and Knuck-na-Corriga were also well backed, and so was Cigar, who put up a splendid performance over the course.

Bonaparte, another Lincolnshire failure, was most prominent in the early stages, but he was beaten by Mediator, Cuthbert, and Flippant, who kept the lead until reaching the distance. At that point, however, he was beaten, and Flippant went on to win. Mediator was a head away third, and then came Medot, Cigar, Kempton, and Grey Barbarian.

On the outside, Cuthbert's Minnesinger, who met with such bad luck in the Brocklesby Stakes, was expected to atone for that defeat in the Sudbury Plate, but in an interesting finish he was beaten by Flippant and Grey Barbarian. The well-backed Rushford showed a great dislike for the gate, and when the tapes went up he whipped round and galloped away.

Altogether it was a bad day for favorites, as Cerval was the only one to score during the afternoon. That had been the case in the Lincoln Handicap, and in a field of sixteen he was made a 7 to 4 favorite for the Quarndon Handicap. Nasbott held the lead for the first quarter of a mile, but then Cerval took over, and in the finish he scored easily by three-quarters of a length.

The outsider, Amara, beat a presumed good thing in Cheque II in the Elvaston Castle Plate, and both Aboukir and Amaroosat finished in front of the favourite, Vermonth, in the Drakelow Plate.

SELECTIONS FOR DERBY.

2.0.—GALLEOT. 3.0.—MY COLLAR.
2.50.—TIRYTHIA. 4.0.—ELECTION.
3.40.—DUNHOLM. 4.25.—GREENCAP.

DOUBLE EVENT FOR TO-DAY.

* ELECTION and GREENCAP.

BOUVERIE.

DERBY PROGRAMME.

2.0.—HIGHFIELD S. PLATE.	106 sows: 5f.
1.50—	7s 1b
2.50—	9s 12
3.50—	Stockham f
2.30—OSMASTON T-Y-O PLATE.	200 sows: 5f.
Color System	st 1b
Sandmee	8 s 11
Sybil c	8 s 11
Broomdowns	8 s 11
Weyhill	8 s 11
Carey	8 s 11
Loch a Dael	8 s 11
Hadrian	8 s 11
Floot	8 s 11
Landwehr	8 s 11
Arot	8 s 11
St. John's Bawn	8 s 11
Dancing Fawn	8 s 11
Race Rock	8 s 11
St. Phil	8 s 11
Lady Spanker	8 s 8
Tirynthia	8 s 8
Aboukir	8 s 8
Sainte Amour	8 s 8
Sandotis	8 s 8
F. P. F.	8 s 8
Fissure	8 s 8
Percaram	8 s 8
3.0—DERWENT S. PLATE.	106 sows: 1m.
My Collar	7s 1b
Over Anxious	9 s 3
Self-sacrifice	5 s 7
3.30—CHADDESDEN PLATE (h'cap), 300 sows: 6f.	
Great Surprise	9 s 10
Mahsud	6 s 9
Walton	6 s 13
Dunmow	4 s 8
Irish Demon	5 s 8
Johnstone	5 s 7
Sundown	5 s 7
Jameson	4 s 7
Hest	4 s 7
Belford	4 s 7
4.0—DERBYSHIRE PLATE (h'cap), 300 sows: 1m.	
Port	8 s 1b
Lichen	8 s 11
Serby Drake	5 s 10
Eliz. Elect	4 s 8
Dominoes	5 s 6
Kingsborough	4 s 7
Water	4 s 7
Queensland	4 s 4
Sainte Amour	4 s 4
Belied Eari	5 s 2
Pintadeau	5 s 2
4.25—CHATSWORTH STAKES.	5 sows starters, with 100 sows: 1m.
Pickle	9 s 5
Verma	8 s 11
Chief's Right	4 s 13
Sumac II.	4 s 13
Thomson	4 s 13
Gais	4 s 11
General Pictor	4 s 10
Sainte Amour	4 s 8
Mrs. Fussy	4 s 8
Red Ruff	4 s 8
A. H. C. F.	3 s 11
Willbrook	3 s 7 6

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Broomdown, 2 1/2. Rufus and others. Three-quarters: head. (Gibbert).

3.0—ASTON CASTLE S. PLATE.

5—AMARA (Whalley), CHEQUE F. (T. Smith), 2: FIRST, DOSE (Fox). 3. Also ran: Circles II, Half Goldham and Galmpton. Betting—13 to 8 Cheque II, 9 to 10 Half Goldham, 7 First Dose, 2 Half Goldham, 19 Amara and others. Neck: head.

YESTERDAY'S RACING RETURNS.

DERBY.

2.0.—WELBECK (H. East), 5—PAR VA MANA (H. Randell), 1: LOOMIAN (H. East), 2: AGRIS SUR AUBE (Steather). 3. Also ran: The Rock, Auburn Hair and Romany Lad. Betting—5 to 2 Romany Lad, 3. The Rock and 10 others. Total 100 others. Length: one and a half. (Withington).

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COVERED COURTS LAWN TENNIS.

Play in the covered courts lawn tennis championships were continued at Queen's Club yesterday, when some very interesting matches were decided. Results—

Ladies' Singles—Final: Miss E. D. Holman beat Mrs. O'Neill.

Singles Championship—Semi-final: M. J. G. Ritchie beat W. B. Boston 6 (1—6, 6—1, 6—1). W. C. Crawley beat T. M. Nixson 6 (1—6, 6—1, 6—1).

Mixed Doubles—Semi-final: C. P. Dixon and Mrs. O'Neill beat G. J. Ward and Mrs. Parson (3—6, 7—5, 6—5).

W. C. Crawley and Miss Holman beat L. F. Davis and Miss Evans (6—3, 6—2).

Last night's billiards scores were—Stevenson, 5, 643, Imman, 4, 812, Aikens, 7, 791; Reece, 5, 674.

The annual spring meeting of the South London Harriers takes place to-day at the Kennington Oval. The chief events will be a mile team race and a ten miles cycle race.

In the former event Mr. H. Nicholls, C. H. Ruffell, G. W. Hudson and F. J. O'Neill will be seen in opposition.

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This afternoon the biggest international football match of the season, that between England and Scotland, will be played at Hampden Park, Glasgow, and, given anything like fine weather, a crowd of over 130,000 people is expected.

For the first time in the history of the game big excursions have been organised from London and from King's Cross and Euston nearly two thousand football enthusiasts made the long journey to Glasgow.

It is the forty-fourth match between the countries. Of the previous encounters Scotland has won seventeen, England nine, and the two have been drawn twice.

England's best result is the 10-0 victory over Scotland in 1897, inclusive.

The last occasion on which the match was played on the famous Hampden Park, the home of the Glasgow Rangers, was in 1901, when Scotland won 2-0.

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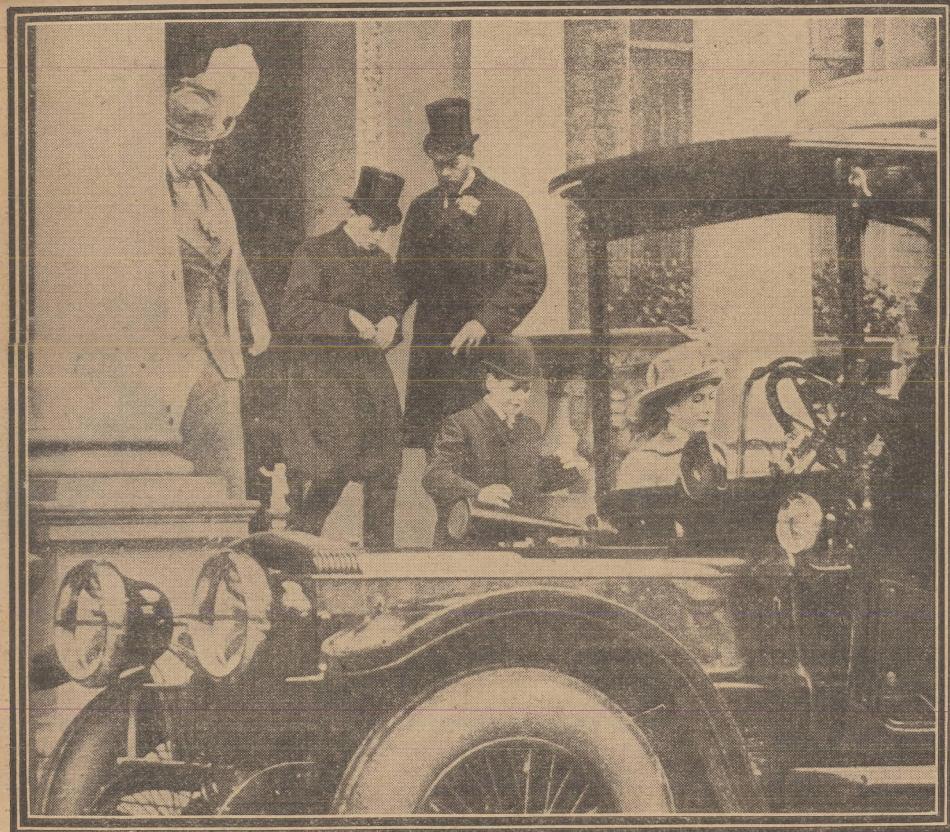
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Princess Maud, the Princess Royal's younger daughter, came of age yesterday, and a party was given in her honour at Portman-square, her mother's London residence. Among the guests were the King and Queen, her uncle and aunt, who are seen leaving the house. With them were Princess Mary and two of the young princes.

NEWS PORTRAITS.



Gertrude Hopper, of Scarborough, who said she was attacked in a train. The chief constable states she admits her story to be untrue.



Mrs. Prevost, of Bethnal Green, who was awarded £564 damages for the loss of her husband.—(Underwood.)

ARE THEY TORIES? MR. CHURCHILL'S TRIP.



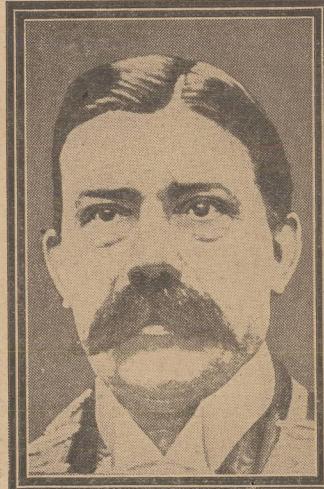
These men do not seem to like the task of handling Mr. Churchill's luggage. The picture was taken at Charing Cross Pier, where the First Lord embarked on the Admiralty barge for Sheerness after seeing Mr. Asquith off to Fife.

QUEEN AS A PEASANT.



Queen Augusta Victoria, King Manoel's consort, wearing the costume of a Portuguese peasant girl. It was a wedding gift. The picture was taken at their residence, Fulwell Park, Richmond.

GERMAN SPY SENTENCED.



Frederick Adolphus Gould, who confessed to being a German spy. He was sentenced to six years' penal servitude at the Old Bailey yesterday.